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Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count 2011 Specialized programs funded through LAHSA address a widerange of issues related to homelessness, including but not limited to: domestic violence, mental illness, substance abuse, job training, family strengthening, health, mainstream benefits enrollment, and most importantly, supportive short and longterm housing.

Additionally, LAHSA partners with both the City of Los Angeles and the County of Los Angeles to integrate services and housing opportunities to ensure wide distribution of service and housing options throughout the Los Angles Continuum of Care.

Origin and Governance

In December of 1993, the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors and the Los Angeles Mayor and City Council created LAHSA as an independent agency. LAHSA's primary role is to coordinate the effective and efficient utilization of Federal and local funding in providing services to homeless people throughout Los Angeles City and County.

A 10-member Commission governs LAHSA. Five members are selected by the County Board of Supervisors and five are chosen by the Mayor and City Council. The Commission is empowered with making budgetary, funding, planning and program policies and decisions.

Our Mission Statement

"To support, create and sustain solutions to homelessness in Los Angeles County by providing leadership, advocacy, planning, and management of program funding."

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